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## NOVEL ROAD BUILDING IDEA

(By a Lost Creek Farmer.)

LOST CREEK, Feb. 24.—There is a bill pending in Congress at Washington to appropriate \$25,000,000 to make good roads in the United States. Twenty-five million dollars seems like a large amount of money to a farmer. How it is to be distributed if it should become a law, I am not informed; if upon a basis of population West Virginia would get as its share one-eighth part, which would be \$3,125,000. Harrison county with a population of 48,000 would be entitled to \$12,000, nearly enough to build one mile of good roads in this county.

Not since the days of Henry Clay has any money been appropriated by the United States government for public highways, to be used by the people rich and poor, and today a monument erected in 1920 stands at Elm Grove, near Wheeling, W. Va. in honor of the great commoner, for his efforts in promoting the building of the old national road, the greatest highway ever built in this country and which did more for the betterment of the middle West than anything done by the Congress of the United States.

While millions—hundreds of millions of dollars—have been spent by our government for rivers and harbors—never to be paid back—and today though work still goes on in our own state on the Monongahela and Ohio rivers to assist in moving the coal from our hills to market, by far the greater part of the coal mined is conveyed by railroad on the banks of the rivers on which so many locks and dams have been built and are now building.

Hundreds of millions of dollars have been used in the construction of the Panama canal. Whether it will pay or not is as yet unsettled, it may or may not. Will the Culebra cut ever stop slipping in, in time for Gabriel to blow his horn.

The Pacific roads were given enough land to make several states and almost enough United States interest bearing bonds to build the roads. While it is true it made a lot of millionaires, and a wonderful howl went up about "credit mobilizer." Had the government not given assistance it is not probable that the East would have been connected by rail with California

by this time, and on our maps would still remain the great American desert. The national banks have been furnished \$718,085,637 in currency on which they receive at least two per cent interest per annum, the bonds to run thirty years (interest payable semi-annually.)

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either national or state, but simply state facts. The bonds are bought and paid for and deposited in the treasury at Washington. The full amount of the bonds is furnished to the banks in currency.

Now if we had a Henry Clay in Congress we would ask him to propose a bill that would give bonds to any county that wanted good roads to be decided by a vote of the people, three-fifths of the qualified voters to vote for a bond issue to the amount of ten per cent of the assessed value of all the property in the county, the bonds to be payable in from one to forty years, bearing no interest, one bond to be paid each succeeding year, the bonds to be deposited in the treasury at Washington and on such bonds the full amount of the bonds in currency, furnished to the county for building good roads, the United States to appoint an engineer to supervise and see that the money is properly expended and all work properly done. Harrison county could issue \$8,000,000 in bonds and pay off one bond of \$200,000 annually at a less rate of taxation than we are paying today over \$80,000,000, our assessed valuation. Undoubtedly as our roads were improved our taxable property would rapidly increase in value, and as our property increased in value the road tax would decrease in the same ratio. This would not be "flat money"

but would have as surely all the property of the bonded district, and would not cost the United States government anything, as the amount it would cost to print the currency and keep the books would be very small.

This is not an unreasonable proposition as compared with paying the national banks two per cent to accept currency to loan at six per cent or more to the business men of the county. Clarksburg bids fair to be the leading city in the state and all good roads should lead to Clarksburg as "all roads lead to Rome." Harrison county would soon be the leading county in the state, if we had roads that could be used every day in the year, by the citizen and the farmer, and soon the taxable value would increase one hundred per cent. We are spending a twenty-five cent tax on our roads and there are very little good roads.

For months each year, Good Hope is farther from Clarksburg than Parkersburg in time and money and it costs more to ship to New York or Chicago.

The "go back to the farm" movement can never amount to anything so long as there are several months in the year when the farmer must leave home without wading through mud from four to twelve inches deep.

## Nebraska and West Virginia

(By Charleston Post.)

Nebraska is a state of much greater area than West Virginia but of somewhat smaller population. In the Post's series of comparisons of state expenditures it will be interesting to take a look at the budget of Nebraska. The figures in this article are taken from the latest biennial report of the state auditor of public accounts and from his quarterly statement of state expenses for the last three months of the calendar year 1915. From this latter pamphlet it appears that during the state half of 1915 the state of Nebraska had been expending money for state purposes at the rate of \$4,464,307.24 a year, and from the biennial report the estimated receipts and expenditures of the current biennium, ending March, 1917, are reckoned at \$10,781,356.69, a yearly total of \$5,390,678.35.

The West Virginia total of \$3,741,252.51 for the year 1915 does not appear to be a recklessly extravagant figure compared with the showing from Nebraska, and the Nebraska farmers have not acquired the reputation of being utter spendthrifts in the expenditure of public money. Owing to certain differences in the organization of Nebraska so as to ornaments it is difficult to re-group the expenditures of West Virginia. Instead compare them readily with similar expenditures in West Virginia. The next biennium and the sources from which that revenue is derived. The figures are as follows:

Estimated Revenues, Two Years, 1916-17.	
General fund levies for 1915 and 1916	\$ 4,483,372.73
General fund collection on back taxes	400,000.00
From miscellaneous collections	40,227.83
From fees, governor	3,761.26
From fees, secretary of state	207,055.19
From fees, auditor of public accounts	240.00
From fees, auditor of public lands and buildings	4,346.11
From fees, commissioner of public lands and buildings	60,981.50
From fees, state bank board	3,024.97
From fees, state board of health	77.00
From insurance companies for maintenance of fire commission	25,295.16
From United States government, aid soldiers' and sailors' home	72,006.65
From penitentiary, special labor	52,083.24
From temporary school fund tax collections	837.01
From interest on school and saline land	243,150.02
From lease on school and saline land	216,678.27
From interest on bonds, school funds	701,712.94
From interest on warrants, school funds	12,105.32
From game and fish licenses	68,670.00
From temporary university fund taxes	896,474.54
From interest on university land, university income fund	6,827.04
From lease on university land, university income fund	4,367.64
From interest on agricultural college land, university income fund	6,827.04
From lease on agricultural college land, university income fund	4,367.64
From interest on agricultural college land, university income fund	15,133.58
From interest on bonds, university income fund	1,562.35
From interest on warrants, university income fund	54,949.08
From university cash fund	6,466.08
From United States government, aid agricultural and mechanic arts fund	485,653.25
From United States government, aid agricultural experiment station fund	100,000.00
From normal interest fund	60,000.00
From normal school library fund, Peru	6,176.79
From normal school library fund, Kearney	5,976.00
From normal school library fund, Wayne	4,773.02
From normal school library fund, Chadron	4,370.00
From state library fund	1,420.00
From hospital for the insane fund	6,784.13
From hospital for the insane fund	18.00
From different counties on old insane account	43,849.67
From institution cash fund	382,684.16
From state railway commission	5,259.64
From state aid bridge fund	179,334.91
From fees, secretary state board of equalization and assessment	50.00
From fees, hotel commission	6,678.00
From fees, state insurance board	200,866.55
From fees, clerk of supreme court	11,087.47
From Smith-Lever fund	50,000.00
From normal school fund	762,183.36
From special university building fund	672,515.91
From car line tax	10,000.00
Total	\$10,781,356.69

These funds are distributed by appropriations and through various agencies of government as follows:

From total income of \$10,781,356.69:	\$ 5,705,038.71
The general fund derives	1,343,153.56
The school fund derives	2,304,149.47
The university fund derives	784,898.17
The state library fund derives	6,784.13
The hospital for insane fund derives	18.40
The institution cash fund derives	382,684.16
The fire commission fund derives	25,295.16
The state aid bridge fund derives	179,334.91
The Smith-Lever fund derives	50,000.00
Total	\$10,781,356.69

On the basis of actual expenditures for the last half of the year 1915 the cost of state government in Nebraska was \$3.55 per capita, and the budget for the current biennium will boost the rate to \$4.29 per capita. The cost in West Virginia for 1915 was \$2.76 per capita. In the United States census figures for the year 1913, the per capita cost for that year in Nebraska was given as \$2.90 and in West Virginia at \$2.14, indicating a rise of 66 cents in the case of Nebraska and of 61 cents in the case of West Virginia.

Heretofore in these budget comparisons the Post has considered only the expenditures of states east of the Mississippi river, but the story from Nebraska, a typical plains state, is similar to that which comes from Connecticut, Rhode Island, Maryland and Wisconsin. All the reasonably progressive commonwealths among our sister states are expending considerably more money for public purposes through the various agencies of state government than West Virginia is expending. We are not even keeping up with the procession in the provision we are making for our university and other institutions of higher learning, for our hospitals and other eleemosynary institutions, for public libraries and other agencies of social service, for the conservation of our natural resources and the development of our industrial and economic possibilities. If our state government were really the spendthrift its critics allege, if the funds we are collecting from the taxpayers were being wasted and squandered for the purposes of a political machine, surely West Virginia's per capita expenditures could not continue to be so far below those of every other state of similar population and similar economic conditions.

If any person questions the accuracy of the figures presented in these budget comparisons and the good faith in which the compilations from original reports have been made, they have only to refer to the bulletin on "National and State Revenues and Expenditures" issued by the United States Department of Commerce and bureau of the census, to find convincing corroboration of the conclusions forced by the figures arrayed in this series of studies. Either the expenditures of West Virginia's state government are illegal to the point of actual parsimony, or the other progressive states of the union are unthinkingly reckless and extravagant consumers of the substance of their citizens.

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## NEWS EVENTS OF BRIDGEPORT

Correspondent Compiles Items of Interest about Folk of That Community.

BRIDGEPORT, Feb. 24.—Miss Eudora Ramsey, of South Carolina, held a parlor meeting at the home of Mrs. Hartor Stout Tuesday morning for the purpose of discussing the question of equal suffrage. Miss Ramsey proved a most able and charming speaker and answered the many questions asked her in a most satisfactory manner. A large number was present.

## How To Get Rid of a Bad Cough

A Home-Made Remedy that Will Do It Quickly, Cheap and Easily Made

If you have a bad cough or chest cold which refuses to yield to ordinary remedies, get from any druggist 2 1/2 ounces of Pinex (50 cents worth), pour into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup. Start taking a teaspoonful every hour or two. In 24 hours your cough will be conquered or very nearly so. Even whooping cough is greatly relieved in this way.

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## SPEARS SHOE Co. FOURTH STREET

The Ladies of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will hold an exchange in the Silcott store at the street car station Saturday afternoon. A variety of home-cooked dainties will be on sale.

Edward Taylor, of Fairmont, was a recent guest of relatives here.

Dr. C. A. Willis, of Clarksburg, was a recent guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Willis.

Mrs. Rebecca Hartor, of Knottsville, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Hartor Stout.

J. H. Saurborne was a recent guest of his daughter, Mrs. Richard Vassar, of Weston.

Mrs. Jesse Willis is ill of pneumonia.

Miss Martha Taylor, of Fairmont, was a recent guest of relatives here.

Miss Isadore Stout is convalescent after a serious illness.

Miss Elizabeth Smith, of Simpson creek, was a recent guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Columbia Winter.

Mrs. Katherine Cottrill, of Salem, is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. A. G. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shaughnessy are the proud parents of a baby girl.

The Rev. J. W. Eaton was a recent guest at the home of Mrs. Martha Shields, of Green Valley.

Mrs. John Tyson is ill of rheumatism.

John Q. Harrison is quite ill.

C. W. Robinson, of Clarksburg, was a recent guest of relatives here.

Lucian Ward, of Clarksburg, was a recent business visitor here.

Mrs. John A. Douglass is recovering from an illness.

Miss Ethel Hecker is a guest of friends at Weston.

Mrs. A. J. Williams was a recent guest of Mrs. W. J. Kyle, of Clarksburg.

Mrs. Roy Thrasher has returned from a visit to Mr. Thrasher's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Thrasher, of Deer Park, Md.

Miss Deo Ross, of Morgantown, was a recent guest of her mother, Mr. George Brown.

Fay Higginbotham, of Cincinnati, O., is a guest of his aunt, Mrs. Anna Higginbotham.

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